

(SRI S. M. KRISHNA)

humbly request Sri Bangarappa and you that there is no need to take up this Call Attention Notice. I have got to collect some information from Delhi also.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಬಂಗಾರಪ್ಪ (ಸೊರಬ).—ಮಾನ್ಯ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದನ್ನು ನಾನು ಒಪ್ಪಿ ಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತೇನೆ. ಅವರು ಈ ವಿಚಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ಕಾಂಪ್ರೋಮೈಸ್ ಸ್ಪೀಟ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಮುಂದೆ ಮಾಡಬಹುದು. ನಾನೇನೂ ಈಗಲೇ ಅದಕ್ಕೆ ಪ್ರೆಸ್ ಮಾಡುವುದಿಲ್ಲ, ಅವರು ದಯವಾಡಿ ಇದಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟ ಎಲ್ಲ ವಿಷಯಗಳನ್ನೂ ಒಳಗೊಂಡಿರತಕ್ಕ ಒಂದು ಸ್ಪೀಟ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್‌ನ್ನು ಈ ಸಭೆಗೆ ಕೊಡಬೇಕು.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ಎಂ. ಕೃಷ್ಣ.—ಆಗಬಹುದು.

(ii) *re: Death of boys rushed to the Hospital by security men of the Governor.*

SRI B. B. SAYANAK (Belgaum).—I call the attention of the Chief Minister to the death of two boys rushed to the hospital by security men of the Governor.

SRI D. DEVARAJ URS (Chief Minister).—I state as follows :

On 25th June 1972 the Governor of Mysore saw two boys laying unconscious on Vidhana Veedhi Road at about 6-15 A.M. when he was on his usual morning walk. He asked one of his security men to immediately rush the boys to the hospital and accordingly the boys were removed to the Bowring and Lady Curzon Hospital, and were given treatment. At about 10 A.M. one of the boys, aged about 10 years died and a case in Commercial Street Police Station Crime No. 322/72, under section 174 Cr.P.C. was registered. As the identity of the boy could not be established, the dead body was kept in the hospital till 27th June 1972. The photograph of the boy along with the other boy who was still unconscious was published in the leading Newspapers of Mysore State, Kerala and Tamil Nadu. The other boy who was unconscious also died on 27th June 1972 at 6 P.M. and another case in Commercial Street Police Station Crime No. 326/72, under section 174 Cr.P.C. was registered. After the inquest proceedings both the bodies were disposed of.

2. At the place where the two boys were lying unconscious, a tin trunk and a packet with an empty container of "Cardenol Brand Phenobarbitone" Tablets which are normally known as sleeping pills were found. The trunk contained a mirror, one Colgate Dental Cream, One Malayalam News Paper, two copies of "Manorama" Magazine, tooth power packet, one hair oil bottle, two combs black in colour, one Cinthol powder tin and one Colgate tooth-brush. There was neither money nor any clothes inside the trunk.

The medical opinion regarding the cause of death is not furnished yet since the viscera has to be chemically analysed by the Chemical Examiner.

However, the Doctors who attended on both the boys have felt that the cause of death was due to the consumption of excess quantity of the sleeping pills.

Investigation to trace the identity of the deceased boys, is in progress.

SRI B. B. SAYANAK.—May I know the progress of the investigation?

SRI D. DEVARAJ URS.—Sir, It is reported that the particulars of these two cases were furnished to the Press and to all Police Stations for tracing the identity of these two deceased, along with their photographs.

Subsequently we have received a report after further probing that:—

On 30th June 1972, Sri Mahamad Unni s/o Kunni Mahamad, Vadakkackad village, Thiruchi District appeared before Sub-Inspector of Police, Cubbonpark Police Station and identified the photograph of the elderly boy as his younger brother and the younger boy as his friend Shankaran s/o Kollappan, aged 12 years of his native place. Sri Mahamad Unni was accompanied by Sri Mohideen, Correspondent of "Mathru Bhoomi" and 2 others, who too identified the Photographs, and ascertained the names of the two deceased as Abdul Khader and Shankaran. Further they reported that the two deceased were good friends and left their native place without their knowledge, and deceased Abdul Khader was suffering from fits and advised by the Doctor to take the tablets. They do not suspect any foul play. Cases are under investigation.

SRI B. B. SAYANAK.—In the statement that you just now read, it is stated that the viscera has been sent to the Medical Examination and the medical report is not yet furnished. In the second paragraph, it is stated that "however the doctors who attended both the boys have opined that the cause of death was due to the consumption of excess quantity of sleeping pills. May I know whether these are not contradictory statements?

SRI D. DEVARAJ URS.—No, these are not contradictory statements. Viscera has to be examined.

SRI B. B. SAYANAK.—In the first para you have stated that the viscera has been sent for chemical examination and the result is not yet received and in the second para you have stated that Doctor is of the opinion that they have consumed excessive quantity of sleeping pills. May I know which part of the statement is correct?

SRI D. DEVARAJ URS.—That is what is suspected.